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*** 4 2 5 D X N E W S ***
**** DX INFORMATION ****
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- 8Q - Keith, G3WRO will be active holiday style as 8Q7WR from the Maldives (AS-013) from 24 January to 6 February. He will operate SSB on 40-10 metres, possibly also on 80m. QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- C6 - Look for Kevin, W1DED to be active as W1DED/C6A from Eleuthera (NA-001), Bahamas on 15-21 January. QSL via LoTW, or direct to home call.
- DL_ant - Felix, DL5XL will be active again as DP1POL from the German research station "Neumayer III", Antarctica (AN-016) starting around 20 January until early March. In his spare time he will operate mainly CW, with some digimode and SSB. QSL via LoTW, or via DL1ZBO; QSOs will also be uploaded to Club Log.
- F - Special callsign TM26PVJ will be activated from 26 January to 4 February for the 26th "Percee du Vin Jaune", the festival celebrating the "Opening of the Yellow Wine" which this year will take place at Arbois (Jura). QSL via F8GGZ.
- HL - Ji, DS1TUW plans to be active as DS1TUW/2 from Paengnyong Island (AS-122, WWL PM27ix) from 29 February until around 1 UTC on 3 March. He will operate CW, FT8 and some SSB depending on propagation, on 40-6 metres. He plans to enable Club Log's Live Stream "to minimize the dupes", but "bear in mind there could be intermittent internet disconnections". QSL via Club Log's OQRS (direct and bureau), LoTW, or via home call.
- I - Throughout 2024 ARI Fidenza will use a series of special callsigns each representing a "keyword" that summarizes and characterizes the content of a sentence from one of Guglielmo Marconi's many public speeches: II4TENC (January), II4INTU (February), II4SUCC (March), II4DETR (April), II4SEAS (May), II4RDFE (June), II4INNV (July), II4BFRE (August), II4OTSR (September), II4VISN (October), II4BTFU (November), II4FCGD (December). QSL via IQ4FE. Information about the "Discovering Marconi" award: <http://www.arifidenza.it/>.
- I - A team from Slovenia (S51V, S52OT, S54W, S56N, S57DX, S57UN, S59A) will be active as IG9/S57DX from Lampedusa Island (AF-019) on 20-28 January. Main activity will be during the CQ WW 160-Meter CW Contest; outside the contest they will be QRV on all bands and modes. DXCC wise this one counts as Italy, but as African Italy in the CQ Contests and the CQ DX Marathon. QSL via S57DX. [TNX NG3K]
- OZ - Celebrating King Frederik X's succession to the Danish throne, special callsign OZ24FX will be used by several operators on 14-21 January. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, Club Log's OQRS (direct and bureau), or direct to OZ1ACB. See <https://www.qrz.com/db/OZ24FX> for complete information about the available awards.
- UR_ant - Andrii, UT3UTQ has been active as EM1UTQ from the Akademik Ver-

nadskyi station on Galindez Island (AN-006), Antarctica since 9 January. Also stationed at Vernadskyi is Serhii, UW5EHR, who has been QRV as EM1EHR since early December 2023. Both are members of the XXVIII Ukrainian Antarctic Expedition, which is expected to remain at the base until late March.

- YB - Emmanuel, F5LIT expects to be active again as YB9/F5LIT from Bali Island (OC-022) between 22 and 30 January. Usually he operates SSB on 40-10 metres. QSL direct to home call; he plans to upload his log to Club Log and LoTW.
- YJ - Takio, JH3QFL and Mamoru, JH3VAA will be active as YJ0AA and YJ0MN from Vanuatu on 4-11 February. They will operate FT8 on the HF bands, and will also be on the Green Cube satellite. QSLs via LoTW, or direct to JH3QFL.
- ZF - Craig, KA8DSS will be active as ZF2NB/ZF8 from Little Cayman (NA-016) on 20-26 January. He will operate SSB on 17, 15 and 10 metres. QSL direct to home call. [TNX The Daily DX]
- ZL7 - Team ZL7D (ZL1LDP, ZL1OV and ZL3SSB) will be active from the Chatham Islands (OC-038) on 20-27 January. QSL via EA3FLW. [TNX DX World]

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**** GOOD TO KNOW ... ****
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DAYTON TOP BAND AND CONTEST DINNERS ---> The 34th Top Band Dinner will be held on 17 May, followed by the 30th Contest Dinner on 18 May. The events will take place at the Hope Hotel near Dayton, Ohio. Registrations for both the events will open on 15 January: see <https://www.topbanddinner.com> and <https://www.contestdinner.com>, respectively.

TX5S ---> The team departed from San Diego on 11 January at 20 UTC, destination Clipperton Island. During the crossing, both on the outward and return legs, they will be active as N6WM/mm from various ocean grids, which will be duly noted on the QSL cards. QSL via M0URX's OQRS (available shortly after they return to San Diego, currently scheduled for 6 February). Follow the "Shogun" at <https://share.garmin.com/TX5S>.

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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3A/MM0NDX  EB7DX      EG7KZ      EA7KZ      PJ4MM      M0URX
3A/MM0SAJ  EB7DX      EI80MB      EI6AL      PV2K      EA5GL
3V8SF      LX1NO      EK/RX3DPK  EA5GL      PV6T      PP2LA
3W3B      E21EIC     EP5TJS      EA5GL      R2024NY   RQ7L
4K6AG      DC9RI      EX0DX      HB9DUR     SK100FRK  SK4AO
4L/UN7IDW  K6VHF      GB8KW      G0UKN      SN32WOSP  SP6ZHP
5B4AMX     LZ3SM      HC5AI      EB7DX      SO130MK   SP3PDO
5K6RM      HK6RM      HC7AE/1     EA5GL      SP130MK   SP3PDO
6Y1A      6Y5PW      HH220Y      N2OO      SP32WOSP  SP3PGX
8A0RARI     N2OO      HS0ZME      SM6NT      SU1SK     N2OO
8P2K      KU9C      II4TENC     IQ4FE      T88AQ     JH6WDG
8P9JB      J69Z      JW/M0PLX    SP7DPJ     T88HS     JA6KYU
9A100RKZ   9A1ADE     KL7SB      N4GNR      TM130SMK  F4IIQ
9A67AA     9A2AA      KP2B      EB7DX      TM3Z      F4DSK
9K9N      EC6DX      LY310KD     LY2NZ      TM700MP   F8GGZ
9Y4I      9Z4A      LZ05RN      LZ1ZF      UE24NY    RQ7L
A65BP      UA6MF      LZ146GO     LZ1KCP     V51MA     NY0V
A71GO      F6BFH      LZ235IR     LZ1KCP     V51WW     NC8R
AP5ARS     IK2DUW     LZ55ZF      LZ1ZF      VP8KCA     G5KC
AT5D      VU3EFG     N6WM/mm     M0URX      VP9IN     EC6DX
ATM2024    VU2UUU     OE24BI      OE5CCN     W2HRU     KA2D
CS2024HNY  CT1REP     OR100LGE    ON6YH      XU7AKJ     JA3ULS
D2EB      IZ3ZLT     OT65BXE     ON5UB      YI3AIA     IK2DUW
D4L      IK2NCJ     OX24QUEEN   OZ1ACB     YI5THA     EA5GL
DL100ANA   DH7WW      OY1OF      M0URX      YW6CQ     YV6BXN
DM24EHF    DL2VFR     OY24QUEEN   OZ1ACB     Z68BB     EA5GL
E20AX/p    E21EIC     OZ24QUEEN   OZ1ACB     ZF1MA     EA5GL
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